

Mr. President: These matters will be looked into.

3. Token cut of Re. 1.—30 Civil Engineering

Rao Sahib K. Ayyappan (*Minister for Public Works*): I move a token motion of Re. 1 for transfer from B. I. 336 under Civil Engineering.

Motion put and carried

4. LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Official Bills

(i) The Cochin Prohibition Bill

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar (*Minister for Public Health*): Sir, I move that the Cochin Prohibition Bill be taken up and finally passed.

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon (*Constitutional Adviser*): I second it.

Motion put and carried

(ii) The Registration of Births and Deaths Act (Amendment) Bill

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar (*Minister for Public Health*): Sir, I move that the Registration of Births and Deaths Act (Amendment) Bill be taken up and finally passed.

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon (*Constitutional Adviser*): I second it.

Motion put and carried

(iii) The Chittur Cess Recovery Bill

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar (*Minister for Public Health*): I move that the Chittur Cess Recovery Bill be taken up and finally passed.

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon (*Constitutional Adviser*): I second it.

Motion put and carried

(iv) The Cochin Cocoanut Committee Act (Amendment) Bill

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar (*Minister for Public Health*): I move that the Cochin Cocoanut Committee Act (Amendment) Bill be taken up and finally passed.

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon (*Constitutional Adviser*): I second it.

Motion put and carried

(v) The Cochin Oil Seeds Committee Bill

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar (*Minister for Public Health*): I move that the Cochin Oil Seeds Committee Bill may be taken up and finally passed.

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon (*Constitutional Adviser*): I second it.

Motion put and carried

(vi) The Cochin Income-tax Act (Amendment) Bill

Rao Bahadur T. K. Nayar (*Minister for Public Health*): I move that the Cochin Income-tax Act (Amendment) Bill be taken up and finally passed.

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon (*Constitutional Adviser*): I second it.

Motion put and carried

5. NON-OFFICIAL BILLS

(1) The Cochin Free Compulsory Primary Education Bill

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan (*Vadakkancheri*): Mr. President, I beg to present the Select Committee Report upon the Cochin Free Compulsory Primary Education Bill and move that the Bill as reported by the Select Committee be considered by this House. In making that motion I have only to state that with the change of front of the Government from one of opposition to compulsory primary education when I had the privilege of sponsoring a similar Bill some 10 years back, into one of whole-hearted acceptance of the idea of Free Compulsory Primary Education, as made clear at the earlier stage of my Bill my work has not only been minimised but has become completely not necessary. This Bill was introduced by me in the Vrischigam Session. It was referred to a Select Committee and the Select Committee's report is before the Hon'ble Members. Much in the shape of a change from the draft Bill has not been